

EIT HEALTH SUMMER SCHOOL 2016

ALIVE AND KICKING – INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS TO AGING-RELATED CHALLENGES



Do you want to broaden your skills into entrepreneurship in healthcare innovation within the domains of healthy living and active aging?

This interdisciplinary course introduces you to healthcare innovation within the themes of healthy living and active aging. It covers both medical and commercial aspects of innovation, following two specific cases on diabetes and rehabilitation.

The course presents key theories, tools and concepts of healthcare innovation. You will learn how to analyze and develop solutions to some of the big healthcare challenges of our time by leading experts and practitioners from academia and industry in Denmark and the Netherlands.

Based on novel teaching methods, the course takes point of departure in an online course with quiz tests. The following 2-weeks on-campus course includes intense group and case work. As part of the academic assessment, a competition for the best innovation and business plans is included.

COURSE DATES:

Online course: launched 1 June 2016

ON-Campus: 8 – 19 August 2016 at the University of Copenhagen.

Exam: max 15 pages of individual assignments submitted 18 August 2016.

Credits: 7,5 ECTS.

Language: English. A good command of English is required.

Participants: Students from a wide range of academic backgrounds and countries are encouraged to apply; the formal requirement is a completed BSc degree. The online course must be passed before attending the on-campus course.

Registration deadline: 1 May 2016.

Registration link

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More information: http://healthyaging.ku.dk/for_students/health-innovation-summer-school-2016/